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Title:	METHODS FOR WAKING UP AND PUTTING TO SLEEP A FAR-FIELD TELEMETRY SYSTEM IN AN IMPLANTABLE MEDICAL DEVICE		

**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT AND PRELIMINARY
AMENDMENT**

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In response to the Restriction Requirement dated September 28, 2004, Applicant elects, without traverse, to prosecute the invention of Species VII, drawn to a mode of controlling the state of a power connection switch to an RF telemetry module using a current injected through the body, as illustrated in FIG. 22 of the present patent application. Applicant respectfully submits that claims 1 - 2, 4, 15, 20-27, 43-47, 52, and 54-55 read thereon. Applicant cancels claims 3, 5 - 14, 16-19, 28 - 42, 48-51, and 53. However, Applicant reserves the right to reintroduce any such claims in the present application, should a generic claim be found allowable, or in one or more divisional applications. It should also be noted that Applicant has amended claims 1, 20, and 52 with this preliminary amendment. No claims have been added.